

Town Talk



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THE WEATHER.



West Va.—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

Weather Readings. F. P. Hall, Ob. Temperature at 8 a. m. today, 78. Yesterday's weather, clear; temperature, maximum, 88; minimum, 72; precipitation, none. River 142 feet falling.

EVENTS TONIGHT.

Skinner building—Modern Woodmen. Red Men's hall—Degree of Pocahontas. Cunningham hall—Lady Owis. Fleming building—Protected Home Circle. Moose home—Electrical Workers.

On Other Side—Alfred R. Mills, a son of B. F. Mills, of this city, has arrived safely "over there," according to a card received today by relatives from the government.

Making Official Canvass—Bright and early today the county court began its work of making the official canvass of the vote cast at Tuesday's primary. All of the members of the court—Lee Swisher, president, S. L. Shaver and Richard Miller and A. G. Martin, clerk, are on the job.

Granted Letters—Today the county court granted letters of administration to B. S. Miller in the estate of Flora M. Wilson. The bond is \$500 and the surety is A. L. Thomas.

Off for Vacation—Ross Musgrave, connected with the sheriff's office, is spending his two weeks' vacation at Webster Springs.

Returns Home—After spending several days here Rev. E. R. Hauser has returned to Juniata, Pa. He preached in Grace Lutheran church on Sunday and made a very favorable impression.

Marriage Certificates—These marriage certificates have been filed with the clerk of the county court: John Lee and Julia Muller, by Rev. C. H. Arnold, of the Baptist church, on August 1; George V. Crews and Mary W. Hallway, by Rev. C. H. Arnold, of the Baptist church, on July 31; Flenie G. Toothman and Mildred Virginia Cummins, by Rev. D. Hall, of the Methodist Episcopal church, on August 5.

Will Enter the Service—Deputy Sheriff John S. Glover, son of Sheriff A. M. Glover, will leave on Sunday for Parkersburg. He has enlisted in the service of the army.

Woodmen to Meet—Members of White Oak Camp, 5373, Modern Woodmen of America, will hold big meeting at their rooms in the Skinner building this evening.

Is Legally Dead—At a recent session of the county court Elijah S. Musgrave, of Paw Paw district, was legally declared dead. He was last heard of eight years ago in the vicinity of Parkersburg. His 100 acre farm in Paw Paw district has been purchased by his sister. There are ten children in his family. Under the state law a man whose whereabouts in seven years are unknown can be declared dead. Should he bob up he can make the heirs produce.

Vagrant Arrested—Charged with violating the 36-hour law, Hershel Reed, a young man, of this city, was arrested yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Howard A. Adams. Reed claimed he had made application to join the marines, but Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Chas. E. Miller at the trial before Justice Conaway yesterday showed that he had not worked for six weeks prior to that. Reed gave bond before the justice to assure the authorities that he would seek employment at once.

Eaton Held—United States Commissioner Kirby yesterday held Edward Eaton, of Huntington, for the action of the federal grand jury on a charge of selling whiskey at Mannington. In default of bail he was committed to the local jail.

Fined Ten Dollars—Robert H. Hunter was arrested for being intoxicated and was able to come before Mayor Bowen at the morning session of police court for a hearing and was fined \$10.

Charged With Selling—Before United States Commissioner Kirby, Draga Grabahavit is charged with selling wine to three young men at her store at Watson. United States Deputy Marshall Moore served the warrant.

LATE "WANT" ADS

WANTED—Laundress, must take clothes home. 504 Quincy street. 8-9-14253

OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE

(BY CONDO)



CAR SUPPLY TODAY

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er left this morning for his home in Boomer, W. Va., where he will spend the week end.

A Production Committee. James B. Neale, director of production of the Fuel administration, has appointed a production committee to work with him in the Fuel administration building in Washington, to aid him in the intensive campaign for increased production of coal. The members of the new committee are G. C. Foedisch, of Philadelphia; Alan C. Dotson, of Bethlehem, Pa.; and Julian B. Hoff, of Greensburg, Pa. Among the men at the production conference at Washington last Friday who are presumed to be slated for Director of Production in various districts like A. Brooks Fleming was in northern West Virginia; Howard P. Brydon, of Cumberland; W. L. Byers, of Connellsville; C. E. Lehart, of Uniontown; James S. Amend, of Greensburg; and J. H. Kilgore, of Norton, Va.

Patriotic Miners to Serve. In order to supply leaders for an intensive campaign for increased bituminous coal production the United States Fuel administration is appointing in each of the producing districts throughout the country a man to serve as Production Manager for his district. At each mine a committee of six, to be known as the Production committee of the U. S. Fuel administration will be formed; three men representing the mine workers; three men the mining company.

The duties of the production committees will be to stimulate patriotism; to set a good example of patriotic industry; to arrange for local meetings at which patriotism and increased production alone shall be discussed. It is the task of the production committee to make known the fact that there must be a large increase in tonnage if the United States is not to fail in its war work. It will also make clear that it is the duty of every mine worker to work the full prescribed hours during six days each week; to pass upon the reasons given for absence, short hours, worked or any other causes that may have resulted in a loss of tonnage.

The production committee will be bound by the majority rule and in case of dispute the Production manager is to be the final arbiter.

The qualifications for membership on these Production committees are that the men should be known to be patriotic; men who on account of relatives or close friends in the war are deeply interested in having our soldiers receive all possible support from those at home; fair-minded men able to pass unprejudiced judgment as to whether the workmen or the company is to blame for absence, short hours or low tonnage. It is also suggested that the largest group of foreign-speaking mine workers should be represented on the committees and if two nationalities are largely represented that both should have representation on the committee.

Southwestern France has deposits of iron ore that were exploited as far back as the time of the Roman occupation and which still yield some of the purest minerals found in that country.

VANGELIST TALKS OF PRINCE OF PEACE

Gospel Tent Meetings In This City Are Well Attended.

The Return of the Prince of Peace was the subject at the Gospel Tent last evening. Evangelist Westcott said, a great many people wonder why Christ is the Prince of Peace, we still have war and bloodshed among the nations.

Jesus in taking that title did not claim that he would bring war and strife to a close in this present world. In proof of this statement Mr. Westcott read from the words of Jesus that there would be wars and rumors of wars.

The speaker made it clear that when Christ was here he set up his kingdom of grace and that when He comes the second time He will then sit upon the throne of His glory. Many scriptures were cited in proof of the belief in the second coming of Christ.

Mr. Westcott cited statements from Enoch, Job, David and other of the Bible characters to show their faith in Christ's return.

He said, "When Christ sits up His kingdom then there will be universal peace that will never end. The kingdom of Christ will finally be here in this earth but not until after sin and sinners have been destroyed.

Red Cross Truck Carried Much Water

The Red Cross truck yesterday served 26 families with water. The water was taken to families where there are cases of typhoid fever and where the city does not reach since the water famine. The persons in charge of the delivery of the water are experiencing considerable difficulty in getting help in the delivery of the water. Yesterday morning while the water plant was down, water was secured from local industries who were pumping their own water and it was with considerable difficulty that enough help could be secured to make the necessary deliveries.

NEW SULTAN.



Sultan of Turkey.

Wahed-ed-Din, brother of the late Sultan Mohammed V of Turkey, succeeds to the job of the "sick man of Europe," under the title Mohammed VI.

DRUMMOND BABY DIES.

Josephine Lefield Drummond, the two days old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Drummond, died yesterday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of its parents. At the time of the birth of the child it being difficult to start respiration, the city lungmotor was used with the result that respiration was started. However the child failed to gain and died within two days after birth. The mother of the child was formerly Miss Blanche Thomas. Burial was made this morning in Maple Grove cemetery by Undertaker Fred Jenkins.

A PUZZLER.

Jones (at a restaurant)—I'm puzzled about this custom of eating to music. Johnson—How's that? Jones—I can't understand whether the food is intended to keep your mind off the music or the music is intended to keep your mind off the food!—Pearson's.

where near the city, is probably the famous tulip tree near the south bank of the Harlow ship canal, a few hundred yards from the Hudson river. The foresters have estimated its age at something near three centuries, but that age may be somewhat short of its true age, for the trunk is far from symmetrical, and had been subjected to hard usage before the park department repaired its burned and rotted interior and put an iron fence around it to keep vandals at a distance.

MONEY-SAVING BARGAINS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

We are compelled to make room which is needed for incoming new Fall goods, hence these extremely low prices to induce you to buy now for present or future needs.

1.48 For men's bathing suits in a neat assortment of styles. \$2.00 values.	89c For size 72x80 bed sheets of good quality, sheeting, worth \$1.25	1.98 For ladies' pretty silk waists in neat stripes and solid colors, all sizes.	65c For childrens rompers, made of good grade gingham, now worth 98c.
49c For men's nain-sook union suits, athletic styles, all sizes up to 46, well worth 75c.	69c For boys' wash suits, in white or colors, sizes up to 8, values up to \$1.00.	48c For ladies' striped gingham petticoats, worth now about double.	48c For ladies' or misses' blouses, slightly soiled, up to \$1.00 values.
1.48 For men's well made khaki pants in all sizes up to 42 waist measure, worth \$2.00.	BLUMBERG BROS. CO. UNDERSELLING STORE MAIN ST. OPP. STATE COURTHOUSE FAIRMONT, W. VA. Originators and Leaders of Low Prices in Fairmont		
			69c For ladies' or boys' tennis oxfords, black or white, all sizes, 85c values.

SHUTTLESWORTH IS SURE OF HIS LUCK

Writes Belief That the Germans Can Never Get Him Outright.

"The Germans never made a bullet that could get me outright," writes Lieutenant Wayne Shuttlesworth from a base hospital in France while recovering from his third wound administered by the Germans, the last being received after he had led his company into the German lines for a depth of four miles in the recent drive of July 18.

Mrs. M. Shuttlesworth, of High street, has just received a letter from her son in which he tells of the encounters leading to his third "knock-out" by the Germans. The letter reads as follows:

France, July 21, 1918, Base Hospital 13.
Dear Mother:—The last time I wrote I was contemplating a long rest after a long time at the front. However, events changed my contemplations and I went over the top on a morning of recent date in an attack of the Boche. It was a wonderful fight and we "put it all over them" as we Americans would put it. I was getting along fine and had gone about four miles without a scratch, but at last my turn came and I received a machine gun bullet in the shoulder which put me out of commission entirely. I finally reached the rear and am now in Base Hospital 13. I was lucky as my wound is not a serious one. Am receiving wonderful treatment and will be out and on the go again before many days.

As to what we have done and are doing you can read in the papers. We certainly gave the Boche something to think about this time and I guess the boys are still going on.

I am sending a cablegram as soon as I can. I will probably reach you long before this so do not be alarmed for I am just as good as I ever was. I trust that everyone is in the best of health and as comfortable as I am now. These American hospitals are wonderful institutions, especially when one has gone through what many of us have these past few days.

Give my best regards to all. Have no fear about me for the Boche never made a bullet that could get me outright. Believe me, we will get them yet. I am glad I had the opportunity to be wounded in such a victorious battle and in a drive which no doubt will have some bearing on peace if it continues successfully.

Love to all.
WAYNE S.
Address: Lt. W. S. Shuttlesworth, 15th Inf., Co. K, Base Hospital 13, A. P. O. 753, France.

IT'S NOW CAPTAIN BRANNON.

Worn has been received in Fairmont that Ward Brannon of this city has been promoted to a captain in the cavalry. Brannon, who formerly had a commission as first lieutenant, just returned to Camp Joseph E. Johnson, Jacksonville, Fla., after a visit with friends and relatives here.

MURDER MYSTERY

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startling discovery of the dead body partially concealed from view from the roadway. They told several people who in turn notified the sheriff's office. According to another account the road gang while at work nearby made the discovery.

Ruscoe, the murdered man, hails from New York city, and thus far Prosecuting Attorney Haggerty has been unable to trace the man's whereabouts since last Tuesday. On that day he was registered at Hotel Watson, this city, and no one can figure how he got into the Grant Town section because nobody appears to be acquainted with him there, he apparently being a total stranger to the residents of that community.

The exact spot where the body was found was in a woods along the thoroughfare just beyond the paved road, being below the hill beyond the farm of Charles Morris. For a distance of 100 feet down the hill all the weeds and rubbage had been cleared somewhat by dragging the wrecked automobile up the hill. Ruscoe's body was found about twenty feet down the hill in this path. Grant Town lies down in the valley almost opposite the hill.

That robbery was the motive of the crime is apparent because the man did not have a cent on his person and the pocket on his left hand side was pulled out and was inside out. The arms were folded when the body was picked up and the body was discernible from the road because of the sight of the two white socks which the man had worn.

Little is known about Ruscoe except that the authorities say he was a bootlegger and gambler. He at the time of his death was under bond in the sum of \$1500 to appear before the court of Monongalia county at Morgantown. Some months ago, it is alleged, that it was his auto filled with booze that collided with a store porch, at Blacksburg. Ruscoe apparently enjoyed a rather unsavory reputation. Nothing is known about his family connections.

Prosecuting Attorney Walter R. Haggerty, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Charles E. Miller, Coroner Frank A. Lloyd, Sheriff A. M. Glover hastened to the spot where the body was found this morning. After carefully examining the body it was turned over to Undertaker R. L. Cunningham. Coroner Lloyd will hold an inquest at a later date.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon Prosecuting Attorney Haggerty was closeted with two men at his office in the court house. "There's nothing for publication at this time" added Mr. Haggerty.

LOSES THREE FINGERS.

Ed Bucher, of View street, this city, had three fingers completely severed from his right hand yesterday evening about 5 o'clock while working on an electrically operated saw at the Dietrich Carriage factory on Cherry avenue. Mr. Bucher is a woodworker, and worked in the automobile repairing department of the factory. He is suffering severely today from the accident.

DR. BROOMFIELD TO PREACH.

Dr. J. C. Broomfield, who is spending a several weeks' vacation at Terra Alta, will return here tomorrow and will conduct the Sunday morning church service at the M. P. Temple. There will be no evening service.

SURE ROTARY CLUB BACKS COMMITTEE

Rotarians Hear First Hand Reports on Water Situation.

Although no one thought of it until after all the appointments were made the seven members of the Citizens' committee, which is working with the members of the Board of Affairs to remedy the water situation, are all members of the Rotary club and at last evening's meeting of the club, which was held at the Country club, the members were given first hand reports from the committeemen on conditions and prospects. Their general opinion was that with the measures which were taken yesterday the crisis will soon be passed.

Attention was called at the meeting to the fact that the committeemen were all Rotarians when some one made a suggestion that the club go on record as being in hearty support of the committee and of the Board of Affairs in anything they might decide to do in remedying the water situation. It was pointed out that inasmuch as every member of the committee is a Rotarian that might not be in the best of taste.

The committee was chosen by President Jacobs of the Chamber of Commerce, Trevev Nutter, secretary of the businessmen's association, and President Lively of the Rotary club following instructions from the Chamber of Commerce meeting of Wednesday. Both Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Nutter said last night that neither of them had given a thought to the fact that their appointees are Rotarians. "Of course we are behind that committee" said President Lively last night. "And so is every public spirited citizen."

During a general discussion of municipal affairs last night the suggestion was made by A. Brooks Fleming, Jr., that at a time like the present all should take the typhoid fever inoculation as a precaution. Several other members of the club also urged that this be done.

Another interesting feature of last night's meeting was the reading of a letter from Dr. J. W. McDonald who is now doing medical work for the Y. M. C. A. in Paris. The doctor writes that he is very much interested in his work, and is in the best of health. He has met several Rotarians on the other side and while he was in London on his way to the continent he called at the headquarters of the London Rotary club but did not have time to attend their luncheon. At last night's meeting four new members, Dr. H. R. Johnson, Joseph Lehman, R. C. Jones and W. R. O'Neil were received.

FUNERAL OF JNO. W. HENDERSON

Funeral services over the body of John Wesley Henderson whose death occurred Wednesday morning, took place this afternoon at four o'clock from his residence in the Jackson addition. The services were conducted by the Rev. Clarence D. Mitchell, pastor of the Central Christian church and interment was made in Woodland cemetery by Funeral Director Fred Jenkins.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS—(OLD MAN HAWKINS HAS A BRIGHT SUGGESTION)—BY BLOSSER.

